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FM AMCONSUL RIO DE JANEIRO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7949

INFO AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

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E. O. 11652: N/ A

TAGS: EFIN, BR

SUBJECT: RADIO BROADCASTING SYSTEM FOR BRAZIL

REF: STATE 16896

FOR COMMERCE AND EXIMBANK

1. CONTINENTAL ELECTRONICS REPRESENTATIVE MICHAEL ARCHER INFORMED CONSULATE GENERAL THAT FOLLOWING SIX COMPANIES HAVE BEEN PREQUALIFIED BY TV- RADIO NACIONAL FOR BIDDING ON RADIO BROADCASTING SYSTEM FOR BRAZIL: CONTINENTAL ELECTRONICS AND GTE/ GATES (US); CSF (FRENCH); NEC (JAPAN); MARCONI (GB); AND BROWN- BOVERI (SWISS- GERMAN). FOLLOWING FOUR FIRMS FAILED QUALIFY: SIEMENS AND TELEFUNKEN (GERMAN); TOSHIBA (JAPAN); AND PAGE (U. S.).

2. ARCHER OPTIMISTIC ABOUT CONTINENTAL PROSPECTS: HE FEELS THAT ONLY CONTINENTAL AND MARCONI CAN BID ON ENTIRE PROJECT AND THAT TWO OR MORE OF OTHER QUALIFIED FIRMS WILL HAVE TO JOIN TOGETHER TO PRESENT COMPLETE PROJECT. HE BELIEVES TOTAL COST MAY BE GREATER THAN SIX MILLION DOLLARS MENTIONED IN REQUEST TO EXIMBANK FOR PRELIMINARY COMMITMENT. ARCHER UNDERSTANDS CONTINENTAL OFFICIAL IN CONTACT WITH EXIMBANK TO DETERMINE OPTIMUM FINANCING
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TERMS TO OFFER TV- RADIO NACIONAL. ARCHER PLANNING TRAVEL TO US SOON AND CONTACT HOROSCHAK OR MCCULLOUGH AT

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